WEATHER BULLETIN. WEATHER BUREAU,
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.
WICHITA, Kan., Nov. 29, 1883.
Forecast for Wichita and vicinity—

Fair; slightly colder. During the past twenty-four hours the highest temperature was 48, the lowest 22 and the mean 40, with colder, cloudy, ollowed by clearing weather, high south wind about 3 o'clock s. m , changing to ight south during the afternoon. Thus far this month the average tem-

perature has been 4%. For the past five years the average emperature for the month of November uas been 43, and for the 29th day 37.

FRED L. JOHNSON, Observer. WASHINGTON, Nov. 20.-The following the forecast up to 8 p. m. Thursday: For Kansas-Fair; winds shifting to sortherly; much colder Thursday night. For Missouri-Generally fair; variable winds; colder Friday morning.

YALE AND PRINCETON. New York, Nov. 29.-The seventeenth annual football game to be played tomorannual football game to be played tomor-row between Princeton and Yale promises o be in many respects the most successful contest of the kind ever played. This vening some bels were placed at 5 to 4 on Yale. The indications seem to show that it these figures the Princetonians will be subject to the princeton of the princeton o

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Nov. 29—The Penn-sylvania-Harvard game tomorrow will be for blood. Both sides are determined to an and to play gamely. Harvard feels like disgrace of her defeat by Yale, and she will do or distinct time. Pennsylvania has been working with terrific energy for this game, and has come to town feeling hat she can win and is bound to be vic-torious. Both sides play an aggressive fast she can win and is sound to forious. Both sides play an aggressive rame, relying on wedge and mass play, and the chances are that substitutes will be needed by both before the game is over. In practice the men seem possessed of demons, and play with phenomenal dash and pirit. In comparing the elevens, man for man, they are about even. As far as team play goes both suits play the same hard ushing game, with Harvard having the ulvantage in more new plays.

THE KAISER'S PRESENT.

BEHLIN, Nov. 29,-Chancellor von Cahe culprit was insane. The machine sent to Chancellor von Caprivi was evidently made by an inexperienced person, and was maly dangerous inasmuch as it might have singed the chancellor's hair. The machine eceived by the emperor was more danger-aus, and would indoubtedly have killed the person opening it.

Two Anarchists have been arrested in

Paris upon suspiction of being connected with the plot to cause the death of the imperor and the chancellor.

The Socialists' newspaper Vorwaerts publishes a secret government order, signed by Count Eulenberg, the Prussian prime minister, dated in July, to the presidents of the provinces, advising them to take measures to fight Socialistic views. The publication of the order has caused a sensation, as it shows that every secret order of the government finds its way into the Socialistic press.

MADEID, Nov. 20.—The Acceptance of the EXTORTION AND LIBET

the Socialistic press.

MADEID, Nov. 29.—The Anarchist newspaper Elithelds of Saragosa has been suppressed, and several arrests made. A bomb

his office today, was placed on a train sud ticketed for home. Worth had writ-ien McCullough a letter telling him that he was coming to kill him. McCullough he was coming to kill him. McCullough was waiting for his visitor, and when at 150 o'clock p. m. Worth appeared at the former's office door in the federal building, McCullough oid not move, but said, "Come in and make yourself at home."

The crank, taken by surprise, walked in. McCullough leaped up, seized him, took a chart from the fellow's trousers' pocket, revolver from the fellow's trousers' pocket, revolver from the fellow's resident. The followand shoved him into a chair. The following interesting colloquy then ensued, Mcfullough taking the mitia ive:

"Why do you want to kill me?"
"I do not want to kill you, but they tell
me to kill you. Prendergast did not want
to kill Carter Harrison, but they told him o kill the mayor.' The crank was soon arrested, but later

For a clear head and steady nerves. Take Bromo-Schizer - trial bottle 10 cents.

SERVIA IN TROUBLE.

VIENNA, Nov. 29 -- A mistaken foreign policy has placed Servia in a dangerous position. A complete change in her sysem is necessary to avert a financial catas-rophe and a conflict with Austria. The internal conditions of the country are desperate. There is no money to pay the army and the government officials. For this condition the radical government is responsible, as, in order to remain popular t failed to levy the necessary taxes.

BANKRUPTED BY POLITICS.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 29 -Clint Tillery, one of the principal contestants in the proonged fight for the office of collector of

THE IRON TRADE. CLEVELAND, O., Nov. 29.-The Iron Frade Review this week says: "So far as

be volume of sales is concerned the month first closing was the most satisfactory in the iron trade since the beginning of the i-pression. No ground appears as yet, however, for the confidence that better prices will prevail in the near future. The early date fixed for patting into effect the new duties makes the tariff bill a factor in every transaction running more than two months into the coming year."

It is succeeds he will present a list of new ministers to President Carnot at 10 o'ciock tonigst.

PARIS, Nov. 29—At a late hour it is early date fixed for patting into effect the new duties makes the tariff bill a factor in every transaction running more than two months into the coming year." nonths into the coming year. M. Deicasse.

SCHEIG AND FLOYD.

LONDON, Nov. 29. - Scheig and Floyd, the Minneapolis Ingitives, wanted by the police of that city on the charge of robbing the Bank of Minneapolis of 800,000, admitted their guilt today in the police court. They were willing to return to the United States and were committed for extradition.

ERIE REORGANIZATION. NEW YORK, Nov. 28-At a meeting of the directors of the Erie Railway company, held this atternoon, a committee was ap-pointed to consider the question of re-

organization and report a plan therefor.



ERIE MEDICAL CO., Buffalo, M. V.

TIMBER CUTTERS ARRESTED.

ALVA, O. T., Nov. 29.—[Special.]—Deputy United States Marshal Langley brought in eight prisoners from the vicinity of the Cedar mountains, yesterday, charged with cutting timber on government lands unlawfully. They were all bound over to the next term of the district

Mrs. Charles Shrader, wife of Deputy Mrs. Charles Shrader, wife of Deputy Sheriff Shrader of this county, died at her home hear Naynoka last evening. Mrs. Sbrader, several days ago and during her husband's absence, attempted to burn a fire guard around some haystacks, when, in some unexplained manner, her clothing caught fire and she was fatally burned before the fire could be extinguished. She leaves a husband and a large number of drieads to moura her loss. riends to moura her loss,

OF INTEREST TO ATHLETES.

James Robinson, the athletic trainer at Princeton College, Princeton, N. J., says: I have found it imperative to have sure and simple remedies on hand in case of cuts, bruises, strains, sprains, colds, rheum-atism, etc. Shortly after entering upon my profession, I discovered such a ramedy in ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS I tried other plasters, but found them all too barsh and irritating. ALLCOCK'S POROUS PLASTERS give almost instantaneous reitel, and their strengthening power is re-markable. In cases of weak back put two plasters on the small of the back and in a short time you will be capable of quite severe exercise. In "sprint" and "dis-tance" races and jumping, the muscles or tefuse to mass her men, except when no other course is open to her.

The prospects tonight are for rain.

Phonid the forecast prove true the Yale team would have a material advantage.

CAMBILIDER, Mass., Nov. 29—The Pennsylvania-Harvard game tomorrow will be for blood. Both and

WELCH, W. Va., Nov. 29,-Following pay day at nine of the largest mines on the Norkfolk and Western road, there were four murders and three affrays which will result fatally. Of the dead three are negroes, one of whom was killed by Hiram Dey (white), in a fight with the latter in which Dey also was killed. A. S. Waldron was fatally stabled by Jack Abbot images of the control of the quarrel over a store bill, and near Davis station the body of Hulda Mitchell, a re-spectable white woman, was found in the woods. A French barber named Deering has been arrested charged with the latter

PARKHURST'S CRUSADE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 29 .- The grand jury today indicted Police Captain William S. Devery of the Eldridge street station for arry today had an audience with Emperor of duty. The indictment is founded upon william in regard to the infernal machines charges preferred by Rev. Dr. Charles H. Parkhurst. The captain is charged with sorted to have expressed the belief that being aware of the character of certain louses and with failing to close them after being requested to do so.

> BOSTON, Nov. 29.-The Nonanton Worsted company, with mills at Newton, has formally notified its 800 operatives that the reduction in the tariff proposed by the

LOW TARIFF, LOW WAGES.

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.-E. A. Klibourne, formerly auditor for the General Electric paper Ellibeids of Saragosa has been suppressed, and several arrests made. A bomb case been found in the church of the Templars at Gransda.

A TUSSLE WITH A CRANK.
St. Lotts, Nov. 29.—A crank named Sathan Worth of Byrnesville, Mo., who had come from his native town to kill secret Service Operator John McCullough,

secret Service Operator John McCullough, iter of the company, he reported a short-ster having a tussle with the latter in son at Omaha. He denies that he ever asked Sunny for money, except for salary

nounced that it will meet the cut. Chairman Caldwell has pronoueced the action of the Great Western a direct violation of the association agreement, and has called a meeting for Friday, when the Great Western will be tried.

The western roads refuse to make any territorial exchange of cheap rates in the districts east and west of the Missouri river for the holidays.

THE COUGHLIN TRIAL

CHICAGO, Nov. 29.-Jurors Gates and Wilson, who were charged with securing places on the Coughlin jury in an irreguplaces on the Conghlin jury in an irregu-lar manner, were discharged today by the presiding judge. The court adjourned till Friday for the purpose of securing two more jurymen. It is rumored that the prosecution has reconsidered its an-nounced intention, and will proceed against Juror Wilson. A story was current today that the in-

vestigation had narrowed down so that three prominent politicians are accused of having inspired the attempt to corrupt the jury. Proof of this is alleged to be in the session of the state's attorney.

PRINCESS COLONNA'S HUSBAND. LONDON, Nov. 29 - Mrs. John W. Mackniernal revenue for the Kansas control, has failed. His business was dealing in boots and shoes. If three deeds of rust, aggregating \$50,000, are not set eside, his creditors will realize nothing out of the wreck. Tillery is well known broughout the state, and his many political friends will sympathize with him in all friends will sympathize with him in Prince Colonna, who has common for a separation in her husband, Prince a separation for the custody of her three children. It is understood that the princess charges Prince Colonna with numerous acts of adultery in audition to general profligacy. to Paris, in order to be with her daughter, ask it. Princess Colouna, who has commenced legal proceedings with the view of obtaining know if you are not the Isabel Antique

THE FRENCH CABINET. Paris, Nov. 29.—Senator Spuller has undertaken the formation of a cabinet.

cari; husbandry, M. Kerjegn; war, M. Ferjon; marine, Admiral Gervais; cotonies,

TURF WINNERS.

BENNINGS, D. C., Nov. 29.-Winners: Charite Wilson, Yucatan, Logan, Aurelian, Bessie Bisland, My Gypse. East St. Louis, Ilis., Nov. 29.—Winners: Flavida, Bud Becocks, Merge, Roseberry, Lizzie V.

GLOUCESTER, N. J., Nov. 29.—Winners: Speciaway, Duten Oven, Rancois, Speciaway, Duten Oven, Rancots, Biondys, Victim, Dock Birch, White Wings.
CUTTENBURG, N. J., Nov. 29 - Winners: Early Biossom, Major General, Tartarian Soundmore, Wampeso, Donne.

SPAIN AND THE MOORS. MELILLA, Nov. 29 .- An immediate adrance of the Spanish forces upon the Moors is expected. The Arabs are preparing to make a stubbarn resistance and are bushy at work strengthening their posi-tions. Twenty-live Spanish generals are

LOBENGULA CAPTURED. CAPE TOWN, Nov. 29 -A dispatch received here from Petersburg reports that Com-monder Rauf has captured King Loben-

here and reinforcements continue to ar-

HELEN DUVRAY DIVORCED. NEW YORK, Nov. 28.-Judge McAdam of the superior coult has granted a decree of divorce to Helen Davray W and, the secress, from John M. Ward, the baseball player. Amsterdammer



KNOWLEDGE

Brings comfort and improvement and tends to personal enjoyment when rightly used. The many, who live better than others and enjoy life more, with less expenditure, by more promptly adapting the world's best products to the needs of physical being, will attest the value to health of the pure liquid laxative principles embraced in the remedy, Syrur of Figs.

Its excellence is due to its presenting in the form most acceptable and pleasant to the taste, the refreshing and truly beneficial properties of a perfect lax-ative; effectually cleansing the system, dispelling colds, headaches and fevers and permanently curing constipation. It has given satisfaction to millions and met with the approval of the medical profession, because it acts on the Kid-neys, Liver and Bowels without weakening them and it is perfectly free from every objectionable substance.

Syrup of Figs is for sale by all druggists in 50c and \$1 bottles, but it is man ufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only, whose name is printed on every package, also the name, Syrup of Figs, and being well informed, you will not accept any substitute if offered.

"This talk," said the bachelor, "of weman's engaging in the pursuits of man is all nonsense. "I don't know," said his friend,

doubtfully. "There's no doubt about it. Suppose a war should arise. Women couldn't fight, could they?" "What's the reason they couldn't?"

"Why, because they are not naturally constituted for warfare." 'Humph! Just come over to the bargain counter in our dry goods store some day and you'll change your mind."

-Washington Star. As to Their Relationship. Hibbs (at the Blobbs reception)-

Glad to meet you, Mr. Nobbs. I think I may claim to be a sort of relative. Nobbs-Pardon me-what is the

Hibbs-Our fathers, I believe, were second consins, or something of that "Ab -possibly. They may have been distantly-very distantly-related."

"Not so distantly related, sir, but that your father borrowed one hundred dollars from my father once and never paid it. Fine old painting this, isn't it?"-Chicago Tribune.

Not Like Bridget.

Wife (away on a trip)-I don't be-lieve Bridget wrote that letter that I received this morning. Husband-Why, it tells you all about

everything at home. Wife-Yes, I know; but it's signed; "Your obedient servant."-Judge.

TOO MUCH FOR WORDS.

Algie-She took the cigawette wight out of me mouth and threw it in the stweet.

Chollie-What did you say? Algie-Nothing at all; just cwied. Judge.

Mr. Caller-Miss Antique, I have

been wanting to ask you something for some time. Miss Antique (blushing)-You-may

she used to go to school with.-Truth.

Could Est Rim. Freddy-Sister must like you a heap. Freddy's Sister's Beau (beamingly)-Indeed! I am delighted to hear you

Freddy-Yes, when she saw coming to-night she said she felt as if she could eat you. She was going out with Mr. Featherly .- N. Y. Journal.

The Obedient Servant. Mistress-Do you mean to tell me, Bridget, that you let baby eat seven

Bridget-An' sure, ma'am, didn't vez tell me, the last thing goin' out, to 'moind the baby,' an' sure he ordered the whole siven .- Harper's Young Peo-

Uses of Parrots.

He-Iasked your parrot if she wanted a cracker, but I could not quite make

She-Polly speaks very indistinctly at times. Perhaps she was trying to say that she preferred chocolates. He-Um-I'll bring a box next time and see.-Good News.

What Is Really Needed. Senator-What we need in this country is a school to fit men to be news paper men.

Newspaper Man-By Jove, we don't need to have it half as much as one to fit men to be United States senators Detroit Free Press.

A Ridiculous Motion.

"Doctor, when I bend my body for ward, stretch out my arms horizontally and impart to them a circular motion, I always feel such a pain in my left shoulder."

"But what need is there for you to perform such ridiculous anties?" "Do you know any other way, doe tor, of getting on your top coat?"-De

DESCRIBING FELLOW BEINGS. It Is Almost Always Totally Inadequate

to Secure Identification. "He was a young man and fairly good looking; smooth face and without glasses; wore a dark suit; was about ive feet in height, and looked like a married man: anybody would know him." Such was the description turned in by a young woman who slipped quietly into the city editor's office and wanted to advertise for Chalmers, says the Boston Herald. It appeared that Chalmers had left home, and nobody knew why, and this young woman had faith that her recital of his personal traits would bring him back. It was a good example of the average person's power of description of a fellow

being.
It is totally inndequate! Though man be fearfully and wonderfully made, there seems to be an unaccountable inability in nine persons out of every ten to give a creditable word picture of anyone whom they have seen. Because we understand the looks of a person when we meet him it never occurs to the mind that other people do not grasp a thorough idea of his appearance with a few passing phrases of de-

Your friend comes in and you expound to him that such and such a man has just called for him, but almost invariably your exposition is a jumbled lot of used phrases which apply to the human race in general.

The other day when I rushed into my office room with a column story on the end of my tongue-or at least at the tip of my pen, to be more accurate-I was given this greeting: "Hello! A man has just been in to

"What did he look like?" "Oh. he was a good-looking fellow; not very tall; rather heavy, but not too

much so." "Was he old or young?" "About twenty or twenty-five, I should say." "What color of hair?"

"I don't remember now. However, Idon't think he had a mustache." "How dressed?"

"Oh, just an ordinary business suit." Have you ever heard such a description? If not, watch yourself next time you tell of some one's call. You will e surprised to find that your description would fit almost any member of the human race. Why is it?

I don't know. We read in books that it's because we don't cultivate the habit of intelligent observation.

There was once a boy who learned how to describe what he saw. Every morning he was sent by his father to walk rapidly by an elegantly arranged window, and then afterward to repeat to him all the things he saw at this one glance at the panorama and to describe them. At first the lad could remember but few things that his eye may have caught in the passing glance, but in time he could remember almost everything in a show window by merely glancing at it once.

UNTIDY MARIE ANTOINETTE. Her Appearance When on the Throne Disillusioning.

think of anything else, the one hun- His walk is treacherous, his glance eindredth anniversary of Marie Anister. Seizing a bunch of grain in his
toinette's execution, the Paris cormouth, he will swim into the midst of News, was kept by different royalist for a dinner. journals.

It does not accord with the idea gen- stalk a bird, with his hind legs dragerally entertained of her sumptuary ging behind him, until near enough to elegance. She was, the baron says, spring. How farmers dread his inroads dressed in white percale, or a kind of in the poultry yard. Fasten the yard thin cotton. It was so soiled and up tight and he will burrow a winding shabby that he would have taken her passage into the ground beneath and for an under servant, had she not suddenly appear among the drowsy walked at some distance before a bevy chickens and stupid geese, whose shrill of splendidly dressed ladies. Her and alarmed cries arouse the farmer whole appearance denoted careless- from his bed to sally forth, finding all

When the baron mentioned his sur- and pack away with the plumpest pulprise to some gentlemen of the court let or the fattest goose. cy shocked him by the things they said about her want of neatness and nard goes awooing, and a wide range incapacity to feel what she owed to her he takes, flirting and toying with

position. baron it was in a tone of sneering Baron Thiebaud's impressions.

Roaming Chinese Tribes.

In the plains on the western borders of the Chinese empire, in the very heart of Asia, there live roaming tribes who seldom visit towns, except it may be in the way of trade. They dwell in tents which they pitch wherever they may happen for the moment to be wandering or working. The tent used by some of the roving Mongolian folk is made of felt and is usually low, small and pointed toward the top. The wooden door-frame is no higher than half a window-frame in our houses, but the tent, although not equal to the wants of a large family, is snug and comfortable enough in summer, but cold, cold in winter. A Plea for Peace.

The crar cried boldly: "Give us peace! The Frenchman cried: "Of course Then each one hastened to increase
His land and naval force.

—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

SHE DON'T WANT. TO TELL what made her beautiful. Yet it's only what other women know. Wealth of beauty comes only with a healthy body. Health is a set of good habits. Doctor Pierce's Favorite Prescrip-tion assists nature in estab-lishing these habits. Women have sallow faces, dull eyes and hollow cheeks, together with low spirits, when they are made miserable with disorders, derangements and their sex. Health is required, after periods dizziness, nervous prostration and excita-lity, or other manifestations of derangeremains of the womanly organs, recruition is used. Besides

on its merits. The proprietors take It is guaranteed to benefit or cure all the disorders, diseases, and weaknesses of women, or money is refunded.

THE CUNNING FOX.

An Animal That Is Full of Life and Resources.

He Is Ever on the Alert and Notwith standing His Pilfering Tendencies is in Truth a Merry Beast.

"How few people know what an in-teresting chap the fox is," said a nat-uralist, recently. "They know him only by reputation, and that as a chicken thief, which he is. But he has ots of points, I tell you. Amerry, sly log is reynard. All summer he lives in luxurious ease, roaming the woods and sauntering by the pearly brooks, or basking in the noonday sun. "He loves fish; and going down to

the stream he waits till he spies a plump trout. It's over in a twinkling. I leap, a snap, and off he trots with his juicy morsel. A stupid crawfish snoozes by his hole near the water's edge. Reynard drops his tail in the water and tickles him with it. The angered crustacean comes out of his hiding place and is seized and crushed. armor and all. When the ripening corn is ready to drop, and the luscious fruits have reached their maturity, and all nature is plethoric with ripening fullness, then Master Fox is in clover. Timid rabbits prick up their ears and run, unconscious of danger, along the hillside; the quails skulk noiselessly in the wheat stubble; birds pour forth their notes of praise—and he catches them all. He loves fruits. Stealthily he steals into orchards, where apples and plump pears tempt, and in the vineyard he fairly revels in grapes. His cubs grow fat and saucy. He shows them how to pilfer honey. and when the busy bees have laid up a winter store he crawls to the hives near the garden fence and, jumping up to the small opening, licks the sweet drops with pure delight. Out come the stinging, humming honeymakers and settle like a ball on his thick pelt; but he doubles up in a twinkling, and, rolling over and over, crushes them by the score and eats them as a relish. "Cunning? No animal beats him.

Look at his brainy head. His delicate ears-broad below to catch every sound, from the highest note of the shrili warbler to the low crooning of the cricket, or the distant murmur of storm. or the fevered pants of the prancing hounds, and tapering so sharply to a point that they can shape themselves to every wave of air that makes the tiniest rustle of noise. Note the crafty calculation and foresight of the low, tlat brow. What a nose! Now full of resolute purpose pointing straight forward, and anon turning up with concentrated malice and scorn. The eye, deep-set, a regular robber's eye, lack-ing the soft beauty of the timid deer, or the fascinating glare of the cat's, yet it trembles with modest humility, or glares with murderous rage, flashing fire and vengeance. Energy and selfcontrol speak in the thin, cynical lips, and the mouth opens from ear to ear. He can leap, crawl, run and swim with tof the world, except for the unfortuthe velocity of lightning, and his wiry nate failing she labored under of pockbody is carried so noiselessly along that scarce a trace is left. His deli-As the French press were too much cate footfalls echo no response even absorbed with the Russian visitors to among the dead leaves of the forest. respondent tells the London Daily a flock of ducks and seize the plumpest

"He is voracious, is reynard. When Some of them in supplements gave re- hunger pressed, and gaunt and lean prints of sensational pictures of her from starvation, he'll not refuse sertrial, and copies, tinted and in black pents and toads and moles and rats. and white, of her portraits. The mem- He has been known to attack and kill oirs of Earon M. Thiedbaud, the friend young calves and lambs, and if the seaof Frederick the Great, which has just shore is near will revel in oysters and come out, contain a 'description of her shellfish. A group of rabbits are feed-as she walked from the chapel royale ing in a clover patch. He'll crawl at Versailles to her private apart- along, nibbling the juicy flowers until near enough to make a grab. He'll safe. Then the fox will sneak back

"February is the month when reyevery vixen that chances in his way. Indeed, whenever people about It is fully sixty days before madame court spoke of the king or queen to the clears the rubbish all out of her burrow and brings forth her young, from levity, not to say of ribaldry. In the three to six at a litter. It will be fully Arnath correspondence Maria Theresa a month before the sharp-nosed cubs frequently chides Marie Antoinette for begin to play and gambol about the her untidy habits, thus corroborating doorway of their home. Perhaps it will be at the root of an old tree, beneath a ledge of rocks, or in the hollow of a dead tree trunk, or a burrow with several entrances in the sand or loam. Tell-tale chicken bones, and feathers and furs strewn about the entrance. speak of many a hen roost robbed, or of foolish rabbits and over-confident grouse that have furnished food for the ever-hungry cubs. The mother fox faithfully feeds her young and boldly steals to support them. She knows, as all sportsmen know, that the hounds will not follow her while she has a

family depending upon her. "A merry, devil-may-care life does the fox lead, indeed! It may be a short one, for traps and snares are many. hunters are alert and the seent of hound is keen. But revnard rollicks and roisters, and plays the bold free-

booter amid it all. NEWS FROM EUROPE.

URASE No. 227 makes 150,000 more Russian soldiers. OAKLEY HALL, in Essex, a property of 600 acres in good order, valued forty years ago at £28,000, has been bid off for £8,000.

THE diocesan conference of Truro

concludes that great harm has been

done to the cause of purity by the reception of Zola in London. Tuz question whether a claiming to be a "lady" was libelled by being called a "woman" was decided

by a British judge and jury in the negative. PROF. KLEBS, of Carlsruhe, who has modified advantageously Frof. Koch's taberculin for consumption, says that he has discovered a sure cure for diph-

THE Paris exposition of 1990 will be in a more central site even than the last one. It will extend from the Trocadero to the Tuiteries Garden, so that visitors will not be taken so far

teen distinct cases.

Athletes Eat



(A fair tackle at Football) - Won't they break their bones? Not if they have trained on Quaker Oats! It makes the bones hard, the muscles strong.

oaly in Quaker Oats. Packages.

KLEPTOMANIA.

A Physician Who Was Consulted on This Subject to His Serrow. age, seems ambitious of showing that highway robbery does not quite exhaust her methods of breaking the eighth commandment, says the London Lancet. Some days ago, in Palermo, a well-dressed, pleasant-man-nered young man was ushered into the presence of one of the leading alienists and proceeded, on painfully matter-of-fact lines, to state the object of his visit. His dear wife had during the few months since their marriage developed the most distressing, most incorrigible habit of kleptomania. Not only in public shops and private visits, but even in her own house, she could not keep her hands off other people's property, which, however, on coming to her real self some hours afterward,

she invariably returned to their owners. Medical treatment had hitherto failed to wean her from the habit, and in his despair he bethought him of the Palermitan expert, whose success in such cases had come to his knowledge. The consultant, having put a few questions which were intelligently answered, expressed his willingness to take the young lady in hand, and appointed an hour the following day when her husband was to bring her to True to time the pair arrived, and

the lady had bardly been introduced to the consultant when her beauty and frank, engaging manner imparted a quite pecaliar interest to her base. During the interview she con-ducted hersel? like a high-bred woman eting articles of value when she thought she was unobserved. Among these the vigilanteye of the consultant missed a photograph framed in brilliants (the gift of a patrician patient). and also a beautifully modeled statu-ette of pure gold. He also remarked that just at the moment of bidding which became "secreted about her per-Spanish colonies in the Philippine

HE TRIED FARMING.

How a Novelist Spoiled Himself for His The novelist had thought that at the end of the year he would make the burnt over and see the number of farmer a present of his labor, but he winged creatures that rise suddenly

had thrown himself with so much real from the ash heaps. A darting form, into this hired-man condition that now a small cloud of ashes and the bathers he wanted every cent due him. How disappear. well had his imagination played its part! The farmer hemmed and hawed out a price and Bill grumbled at it, but finally they struck an agreement, and off Bill marched with his earnings in the pocket of his jeans trousers.

When he reached the city he dressed himself in his former apparel and went to the club to see his friends, writes Opic P. Read in Fetter's Southern Magazine. They were glad that he had returned from abroad; hoped that his voyage had been pleasant; were sure that he had brought back great material; would anxiously await the coming of his next book.

He sat in his library musing. To morrow he would begin "The History of the Hired Man." The scenes were all mapped out. There were pletures photographed on the spot; which he knew every turn. What rustic love he could pour into this work; what rude passion, jealousy, bucolie heartbreakings! Suddenly it becurred to him that he had not enjoyed his luncheon at the club. His mind ran on boiled dinners, hog fat. He smiled at this. Ah, he could write from the very cravings, the soul, of the hired

The next morning he awoke early and bounced out of hed to feed the cattie. Then he bethought bimself that he was in his own home, amid works musses up her hair so .- Good News.

of art, surrounded by books. He lay down again, but he could not sleep. He was hungry. He looked at his Sicily, the classic haunt of brigand- watch. Six o'clock. He went out to get something to eat. The restanrants were not open. He ate corned beef and cold cabbage in an all-night "joint." He went back to his room and took down a book that had often fired his brain and sent his fancy fly-ing. It was dull. "By the gods!" he exclaimed, "I am so much of a hired man that I don't want to read. But I can work. I will begin my book."

He sat down, with pen in hand, but no thought came. His hand was horny; his thoughts were among the clods, held down by New England boiled dinners. He struggled in vain. His literary work was done. He was a hired man and his genius was gone.

Photography in Crime.

Photography aids all classes. The latest to adopt it as a useful assistant is the scientific burglar. From New Zealand it is reported that two men armed with photographic appliances have been traveling around the country. Arrived at a house, one of them, by absurd prices, induces the tenant to have a photographic group made of the whole family, servants included. While he carefully poses them all in a group in front of the house his partner in crime has entered the back door and is removing such articles of value is are conveniently portable. The op-erations are gone through and the photographer promises to return next day with the proof.

THE TOILET OF BIRDS.

Peculiarities of Feathered Creatures Be garding Their Bath. The feathered tribes have many peculiar ways and fancies about the details of their toilets. Some birds use water only, some water and dust, while others prefer dust and no water. Birds are not only exceedingly nice in their choice of bath water, says New York Home, but also very particular about him good day she relieved him in the the quality of their "toilet dust" quickest and most graceful manner Wild ducks, though feeding by salt possible of a valuable cravat pin, water, prefer to bathe in fresh water pools, and will fly long distances inson" with the suddenness of magic. land to running brooks and ponds. "You see yourself," groaned the afflicted husband in an aside to the con- feathers in the early hours of the sultant, "how possessed she is with morning. Sparrows bathe often, both the thieving instinct. Ch, my poor, in water and in dust. They are not so unfortunate wife! I will bring you particular about the quality of the back all the missing articles to-mor- | water as about the quality of the dust. row at any hour you may appoint. They prefer clean water, but I have when you will kindly give me your seen them take a dip in shallow pools opinion of the case and advise me that were quite muddy. The city spar-what to do." To-morrow came and row must take a water bath where he with it the appointed hour, and the can get it-in the street or on the tops consultant waited and is still waiting of houses—but he is most careful in for the "well-dressed, pleasant-man-his choice of his dust bath. Road dust, nered young man" and his stolen the dryest and finest possible, suits goods. He was as cleverly swindled as him best. I have noticed the city Gil Blas was by Don Raphael and Ca- sparrow taking his dust bath in the milla, "niece of the governor of the street and invariably he chooses a place where the dust is like powder Partridges prefer dry lonm. like to scratch out the soil from under the grass and fill their feathers with cool earth. Most birds are fond of burnt ashes. Some morning early take

Blowing It.

a walk across a field that has been

Mudge-I was just thinking of the resemblance between my salary and

Yabsley-How's that-all wind? "No-o. Not that exactly. But as soon as I draw it I have to blow it."-Indianapolis Journal.

A Needless Adjustive.

"That is a pretty good story of yours," said the editor, "but you have fallen into a redundancy of expression." "Where?" "In your reference to the hero as 'a

wealthy plumber." - Washington Star. Mr. Younghusband (reading from

paper)-Married: Elanche de Smythe to Walter Wellington Jones. What old memories that name awakens! Mrs. Y. (blusbing)-I never imagined you knew of my engagement to

Mr. Y. (chillingly)-I was alluding to Blanche.-Boston Glo

Little Brother's Theory. Small Brother-I should think sister would a good deal rather have you call to see her than Mr. Getthere. New Adorer (delighted)-Would you?

Small Brother-'Cause he always

